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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

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FOR SALE—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 4 rooms, pantry, cellar; yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair, lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block 1, in southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

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200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation, about 300 fruit trees in bearing; 2 miles of hedge 4 years old; a one story frame house, good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 11 miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

800 ACRES in Piatt Co.; mostly prairie. Price, $20.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26 1872—d-tf.

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December 10, 1872-daw tf.

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"	"	closes at 1:35 P. M.
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"	"	closes at 1:30 P. M.
Eastern	"	arrives at 2:35 P. M.
"	"	closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western	"	arrives at 11:40 P. M.
"	"	closes at 1:55 P. M.

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Illinois Central R. R.

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GOING SOUTH.	
2:16 A. M.	5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.	
5:17 A. M.	2:21 P. M.

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GOING NORTH.	
8:32 A. M.	
11.30 A. M.	2:30 P. M.
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9:30 A. M.	3:38 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6 15 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West		2 50 p. m
"	" Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East		8 40 a. m
"	" Accom "	3 45 p. m

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K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1873, trains will leave Decatur for Paris and Mattoon as follows;

Express	10:00 a m
Accommodation	3:00 p m
Express—arrives at Paris	2:05 p m
Accom'n—arrives at Mattoon	6:40 "
Express—leaves Paris	6:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur	10.45 "
Accom'n—leaves Mattoon	7:15 a m
Arrives at Decatur	11:30 "

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Decatur, January 1, 1873-dtf.

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Painter, Grainer, Glazier, &c.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Shop in room formerly occupied by Wm. E. Bingham, No. 28 Merchant Street.
Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

QUICK DISPATCH.

A Norwegian Substitute for the Gallows and Guillotine—Three Decapitations in Seven minutes.

About one year ago the government of Sweden and Norway, in consequence of the numerous horrors which had taken place at executions, by the axe or sword, of criminals sentenced to death, resolved to adopt another mode of execution, and appointed for this purpose a committee of six persons, who carefully examined the various modes of inflicting the extreme penalties of the law in the civilized countries of the world. In their report they discarded hanging, because, they said, in numerous instances, it was fraught with untold suffering for the culprit. The guillotine, although, as a general thing, it worked well, in the case of persons with short necks, was almost inapplicable; shooting, because it was uncertain, several volleys being required to dispatch the sufferers. The committee finally recommended the adoption of a mode of execution which, they said, after mature examination, they were convinced was the most humane that had ever been employed yet. It was as follows: The criminal who was to suffer death was to be placed in a sort of round wooden cone, open at the top, so that only his head and neck would protrude. Over his shoulder a lid was to be placed, tightly fitting round the lower part of his neck. Then another lid was to be put on it, containing a sharp knife shaped like a sickle, and to which a wooden handle was attached.

The criminal, after being placed in the wooden cone and having his neck enclosed in the lower lid, cannot move at all. The executioner then puts a funnel-shaped cover on the cone, whereby the culprit is concealed from view. Everything, then, is ready; the executioner seizes the handle of the knife and gives it a quick jerk, and the culprit's head is severed from the body.—All the preparations for the execution require but little more than a minute, and the sickle-shaped knife does its deadly work with unfailing certainty.

The royal government at Stockholm, after subjecting this mode of execution to several tests, found that it was as represented, and decreed its adoption. It was first applied on the 18th of November last, at Tromsoe, in Northern Norway, at the execution of a Russian sailor and two Lapland fishermen, who were convicted of murder, arson and robbery under the most atrocious circumstances. The names of these doomed men were Nicholas Kurnsoff, Aben Tikty and Freo Lalia. It having become generally known that death would be inflicted upon them in the new manner descibed above, an immense concourse of people surrounded the mound in the suburbs of the city, where the terrible scene was to be enacted, for hours before the executioner and his victims made their appearance. Nothing was to be seen on the mound in question but the wooden cone, with the cover.

At 11 o'clock the three criminals emerged from the Lofod gate. They were preceded by some court officials and a drummer who beat a doleful role. Behind them marched the executioner and his three assistants. The three doomed men hardly seemed to realize the dreadful position in which they were placed. The Russian sailor had in his mouth a short clay pipe, from which he drew clouds of smoke. The two Laplanders were singing a weird song in a low tone of voice. Upon reaching the top of the mound, the executioner and his assistants lifted the Russian into the open cone, and then adjusted its upper part, which was movable, so that the criminal's bare neck and head only protruded, and then the cover was put over his head, and the executioner, with a strong hand, drew the handle of the knife to the right.—He waited a moment, and then raised the cover. From it fell the Russian's head, and streams of blood issued from the cone. The Laplanders looked on listlessly while the assistants of the executioner removed the head and trunk of the dead Russian from the cone.—They were then hurried to the same place, and were dispatched with equal rapidity The execution of three men did not last over seven or eight minutes, while, previously, that of a single criminal had sometimes occupied twice that length of time.

A Hartford subscriber writes that he is just recovering from the small-pox, and will be on in a few day to renew his subscription. We hope he won't mind a little thing like that. We will send the paper and wait for the money. We will wait cheerfully. We ain't of that avaricious kind of people, who will grab for money as if for very life. We despise such things. There's no earthly reason for his coming on, we will wait.—[Danbury News

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A PRIVATE letter from a claim holder at New Rush, in the South African diamond fields mentions that in an adjoining claim, considered to be worthless, a Dutchman, in turning over some refuse, lighted upon a genuine diamond of 321 carats. The stone is pronounced a good one, and was immediately sold by the finder for £8,500, at which price it was considered to be a bargain

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A hemp-tie form—Capital punishment.

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October 28 1872—dtf.

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PROFESSIONAL.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb 8 '72

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ladden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dwt1.

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Strally's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Dr Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [illegible]

C. C. McCOMAS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

E. PARK, THOS LEE
PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

James M. Irwin,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [j11-daw.tf

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January 6 1873-dtf.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Saturday Evening, Feb. 1.

THE OLD REBEL SPIRIT.

The telegraph brings us the intelligence the "Lee's birthday was celebrated with much *elact*" in Savannah, Georgia, a few days ago, on which occasion the first parade of the military since the war took place. The First Georgia volunteers, eighteenth battalion, the Nepentham artillery battery, and Germanic hussars paraded in uniform. Gen. Wade Hampton delivered an address on the day, and it was generally observed as a holiday and resembled 4th of July before the war. We have not so much objection to the observance of Robert E. Lee's, or any other man's birth-day, even though he may have been prominently engaged in a wicked rebellion that murdered union men and starved prisoners, but the people of the North will not be disposed to look with favor upon a parade of ex-rebel soldiers, in a city within the jurisdiction of the United States government. It may be argued by those inclined to deal in technicalities that these ex-confederate soldiers have a legal right to parade; but even admitting such a "right," it must be allowed by all fair-minded people that they exhibit wretched taste in indulging in such insulting demonstrations, for they are nothing more or less than an insult to the national flag. These ex-rebels have a singularly queer method of exhibiting their feelings of reconciliation with the government they sought to destroy.

AMONG the most heartrending occurrences which marked the late storm in Minnesota, was the freezing to death of the family of a Mr. Evans, a Welsh minister, living in Fillmore county. They were returning home in a sleigh, and when only three-fourths of a mile from the house were stopped by a snow drift. From the indications, it is supposed Mr. Evans took his oldest child out the cutter and carried it home and returned to the cutter, wrapped his wife in the blankets, and carrying his babe, started for the house again, but never reached it In the violent storm he lost his way, and with his babe perished Meanwhile the child that had been carried home was waiting in the cold for the return of its father, the anxious wife was waiting in the cutter for her husband When the neighbors called at the house the Saturday following, it had but a solitary little frozen occupant; the wife and mother was found in the sleigh a stiffened corpse.

ILLINOIS is the greatest corn growing State in the Union In 1871 Illinois produced 203,000,000 bushels, Iowa and Ohio each 100,000,000 bushels, Missouri 87,000,000 bushels, and Indiana 79,000,000 bushels The number of acres of land planted in Illinois is nearly 5,500 000. This is twice as much as any other State. Illinois, raising more corn than any other State, and not being able to get anything for it, is the worst off.

A SPECIAL telegram from Rome to the Paris *Liberte* states that Pio Nono has informed M de Correlles, the French Ambassador to Austria, of his intention to leave the Holy City if the head religious orders were suppassed by Victor Emmanuel's Government. This threat has been so often uttered by the "prisoner" of the Vatican that it no longer excites alarm. It would no doubt be a serious loss to Italy if the head of the Church should leave it and become the guest of some other nation. But where will the poor gentleman go? There is no place where he could be so comfortable as at Rome

GENERAL Mayson Brayman, editor of the Springfield *Journal*, has been appointed by the Executive Committee of the Illinois Press Association, to deliver the next annual oration before that organization

AFTER considerable debate, by a large majority the House of Representatives at Springfield decided to obey the language of the Constitution, and refused to publish Governor Palmer's message in any other language than English

THE Seth Thomas Clock Company have just sent to Mansfield, Ohio, a clock six feet high, six feet wide, and four feet deep, costing $2,500 The pendulum is fourteen feet long, and the pendulum ball weighs three hundred pounds The weights weigh one thousand pounds each The works are to be set in the lower story of the building, while the hands and dial are placed in a high tower. The gas that illuminates the dial will be turned on and off by the motions of the clock

IT is announced that Mr. Froude will lecture in England about the United States. Seeing that the distinguished historian spent the period of his brief visit to this country in the Atlantic States, where he was flattered and caressed by the literary toadies, and was hustled and insulted on the streets by the ragamuffins, and that he never crossed the blue ridge, never scented the winter zephyrs of Lake Michigan in the great North American grain gambling-hell; that he never explored the isothermal line which tends northward from Duluth, along the verdant vales bordering the route of the North Pacific railway to Puget Sound; that he never visited the future great city, or gazed upon the father of rivers and the water route to Liverpool—what, we may ask, does Mr. Froude know about the United States?

ILLINOIS RAILROADS.

The report of the railroad commissioners of Illinois for 1872 shows that the average gross earnings of the 6.258 miles of railway in this State for the year were $8,108 per mile; the average net earnings were $2,789 per mile, the expenses were 65.60 per cent. of the earning The total cost of the 5,331 miles of classified road has been $225,329,271, or $42.264 per mile.

The committee say that a large proportion of this cost represents fictitious stock, sacrifices made in the sale of securities, unavoidable delays in construction and losses growing out of bad management; the real cost of the roads ought not to have exceeded $25,000 per mile.

A table prepared by the commissioners shows that 73 per cent. of all the land in the State lies within five miles of railways in actual operation; 21½ per cent lies between 5 and 10 miles; 4 per cent. lies between 10 and 15 miles, and 1½ per cent. lies between 15 and 20 miles. The commissioners discuss the subject of complaints on account of extortion, and remark: To leave the people no other remedy than in every instance of extortion, to have a lawsuit with the railroad companies, to ascertain by a jury what was not a reasonable charge, to be decidedly differently, perhaps, in each county, or even each justice's precinct, would be hardly more than a mere mockery.

A TERRIBLE PESTILENCE IN CRAWFORD COUNTY.

A terrible pestilence is reported as prevailing in Crawford county, this State, about 50 or 60 miles southeast of this place In the little village of Robinson, which numbers not more than 600 inhabitants in all, there is an average of two deaths per day, and in an adjoining town there have been fifteen deaths from the same fatal disease

No person has yet recovered from an attack of the malady, which is called by some malignant spotted fever, and the duration of the disease is from three hours to three days. A panic prevails in that region, all business is suspended and the people are removing to other parts of the country. In other parts of the county the small-pox is reported as epidemic and 24 per cent of the persons attacked have died. The locaiton affected by this latter malady is in the country and it is not known by what means the disease was conveyed there —*Mattoon Journal.*

MRS IMOGENE BROWN, who a year or two since charmed the people of a number of cities in Central Illinois with her sweet voice, is now engaged to sing at Bartholomew Church, New York, on Sundays in the forenoon and afternoon, at an annual salary of $3,000; and at Christ's Church, in the same city, Sabbath evenings, for $1,000 per year

A young gentleman from the country came to this city a few weeks since, and under one of the lawyers began the study of Blackstone and Timothy Walker The lawyer was suddenly called to a distant city for a few days, and entrusted the business of the office in the hands of the lately initiated gentleman. Just before his departure he instructed the young man into the mysteries of a combination lock on his safe. Imagine the consternation of the lawyer upon his return to find that his clerk had guarded against the possibility of forgetting the secret of the combination by writing it upon a piece of paper and pasting it upon the knob of the safe. The young man found it hard to dodge the well bound law books that were thrown at his head. He is seeking a desk in another office

...The name of Mr. W. B. Chambers has been spoken of as a candidate for alderman from the second ward. Mr. Chambers is an excellent citizen and a perfect gentleman, and we are of the opinion that the second warders could not select a better representive in the City Council.

..We are informed that the Furbish Dramatic Company have concluded not to visit Decatur, as was expected

Alfred Wuensch is getting out a new township and sectional map of Macon county—the very thing we ought to have to show our new railroads built during the last four years. Our present map is too old, and entirely worthless. Mr. Wuensch is going to Chicago on Monday morning, to make arrangements with lithographers and map publishers. The map will be printed in colors, varnished and mounted on rollers

For Sale.—Two houses and one lot, just west of the oil mill. Apply at 77 East Main street. [nov 10 6m.

Diaries for 1873—At Litsinberger & Sutton's Book Store. [Nov 10 tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

8 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

THE CHICAGO POLICE MUDDLE.

Mayor Medill Sustained by the People.

DEATH OF EX-GOV. MATTESON.

SUDDEN DEATH OF HON. N. BUSHNELL, OF QUINCY.

POMEROY WRITES A LETTER.

THE TWEED JURY DISAGREE.

The Case to be Tried Again.

FROM ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Hon. Joel A. Matteson, ex-Governor of Illinois, died at noon to-day at the residence of his son-in-law, R. E. Goodell, in this city Mr. Matteson was Governor from 1853 to 1857, he was sixty-five years of age. His splendid residence at Springfield, costing $200,000, was burned a few days ago

The excitement and confusion over the difficulties of the Police department continued this morning. The Mayor called the three captains, and having explained the law, inquired of each what he intended to do Captain Hickey and Gund said they would neither recognize the Mayor nor Mr. Washburne as their Chief. Captain French, on the other hand, said that he would obey all orders issued by those authorities.

The Mayor then handed each of the two contumacious Captains an order removing them from the force. It is understood that he will presently appoint two Sergeants to their places The Mayor further says he will from to-day bring his official guillotine into active use among any members of the police force who refuse to act under him as chief executive, and under Mr. Washburne as Chief of Police. Regarding the Board of Police, he intimated that at the next meeting of the Council on Monday night, he shall forward names to fill the vacancies created in that Board No officer who has received the Mayor's order and refuses to obey, will receive any pay, the Mayor and Comptroller having determined to countersign no order for such men. On the other hand, the Board asserts that any policeman who refuses to obey its orders can receive no pay, because the law requires that all police bills shall be credited by the Board as well as countersigned by the Mayor and Comptroller.

At a meeting held by the Board of Trade, at noon to-day, the following resolution was passed by an overwhelming majority

"Resolved, That this board heartily indorse the action of Mayor Medill in the removal of the Police Commissioners and the sustaining of Chief Washburne."

The Board of Underwriters, this afternoon, passed resolutions strongly indorsing the Mayor's course. The saloon keepers, since the Mayor's determined stand in the police question, have reconsidered their determination to break the Sunday liquor law, and will generally respect it

QUINCY, ILL, January 31 —Our city has suffered a severe loss to-day in the death of Hon. Nehemiah Bushnell, Republican member from Adams county in the General Assembly. The cause of his death was erysipelas. Mr. B. was one of our oldest, most enterprising and wealthiest citizens, of extraordinary literary attainments, but chiefly prominent as a lawyer. He has been for many years the law partner of Hon. O. H. Browning. His unexpected death has cast a gloom over the entire community.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—In the Tweed case, the jury came into court at half past 10 o'clock this morning, when the foreman announced they could not possibly agree They were accordingly discharged It is rumored that eleven of the jurors were for acquittal, and only one for conviction, but it is generally understood that they stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction

Peckham, for the prosecution, addressed the court, applying for another trial forthwith Defendant's counsel thought it would be a hardship to go over the case again now, as the Tweed civil suit has been set for February 7th, and preparations for it are necessary

After some further argument, the court said it would decide the matter of a new trial to-morrow

It was stated that the poll of the jury for the third time after returning, the vote stood eleven for acquittal and one for conviction The dissenting juror is said to be Mr. Hazleton, who remained firm to the close, notwithstanding the efforts of his associates to induce him to change. Fullerton, of the counsel for Tweed, thinks the defense have won a great and unexpected victory, and he was somewhat surprised that any of the jurymen should favor acquittal, after listening to the inflammatory and argumentative charge of Judge Davis.

He adds that Tweed proposed to continue the fight with all the stubbornness of his nature.

Wheeler H. Peckham, counsel for the prosecution, was extremely mortified with the result of the trial, and hints that the disagreement of the jury was secured in an illegal manner, and the jury must have been influenced by mercenary motives. The case will be immediately brought up for re-trial.

FROM KANSAS.

ATCHISON, Kan. January 31.—The *Champion* of to-morrow morning will publish the following letter from Senator Pomeroy, received from Topeka to-night, addressed to its editor:

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 31.

DEAR SIR: When you left Topeka I told you I would employ my first leisure in detailing to you for the public the precise nature of the malicious conspiracy organized for my defeat But since the parties to this conspiracy have summoned me before the court to answer to their charge, this is to say that before the judicial tribunal I, too, am desirous and even anxious to appear and have a full investigation and verdict unbiased. I only ask a suspension of public judgment until a fair hearing can be had in the courts. The verdict will decide who has committed a crime, and the measure of the guilt.

Very truly yours, S. C POMEROY

TOPEKA, KAN, January 31 —Senator Pomeroy appeared by counsel before Judge Morton, of the District Court, to-day, and waiving examination, gave bail of $20,000 for his appearance at the June term of the court His sureties are D. H. Horne, J. Picard, Ira H. Smith and C. W. Jewell.

OAKES AMES ON EXPULSION.

Washington Dispatch to the New York Herald

"Supposing they should expel you, Mr. Ames?" asked one of his friends.

"Expel me, sir! Expel me" exclaimed old Hoax, "what do you mean, sir? Expel the honestest man in the House! Pshaw, they won't do it, no sir," and he put his hand into his side pocket to see if the old wallet was still safe

The impression prevails among leading members of the House that Hoax is right. If arraigned he will ask the members whose hands are clean of jobs to cast the first vote No one knows how many pledges the old pawnbroker has got, and sure as fate Uncle Hoax will discover that "memorandum book" if he is pressed too hard.

SMALL-POX.

How the Contagion May be Avoided.

1 On the first appearance of the disease, the patient should be placed in a separate apartment, as near the top of the house as possible, from which curtains carpets, bed-hangings and other needless articles of furniture should be removed, and no person except the medical attendant and the nurse or mother to enter the room.

2. A basin containing a solution of chloride of lime, or carbolic acid, should be placed near the bed for the patient to spit in.

3. Handkerchief not to be used, but pieces of rag employed instead, for wiping the nose of the patient Each piece, after being used, should be immediately burned

4. A plentiful supply of water and towels should be kept for the use of the nurse, whose hands, of necessity, will be soiled by the secretions of the patient In one hand-basin the water should be impregnated with Condy's fluid of chloride, by which the taint on the hands may at once be removed.

5. Outside the door of the sick room a sheet should be suspended so as to cover the entire doorway; this should be kept constantly wet with a solution of lime. The effect of this will be to keep every other part of the house free from infection.

6 The discharge of the bowels and kidneys of the patient should be received into vessels charged with disinfectants, such as the solution of carbolic acid or chloride of lime, and immediately removed. By these means the poison thrown off from internal surfaces may be rendered inert and deprived of the power of propagating the disease.

7 The thin skin or cuticle which peels off from the hands, face and other parts of the body in convalescent patients is highly contagious Baths should be continued every day, for four times, when the disinfection of the skin may be regarded as complete. This, however, should not be done without first consulting the medical attendant

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Nathaniel C Hudson and William Hudson, in firm name of Hudson Bros are complainants, and Josiah Cornelius, Frances Cornelius, George W Cornelius, and Samuel G Malone, are defendants, that summons has issued in said cause directed to the Sheriff of said county, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden at the Court-house in Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering and as to them said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte*,

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl'ts.
January 20, 1873—d4w.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein George Stewart is complainant, and Edward Young, Augustus Harpstrite, and unknown heirs-at-law of Susan Young, deceased, are defendants, that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden in the Court-house at Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be heard *ex parte*

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, March term, A D. 1873

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Samuel McRoberts is complainant, and Anson H Varney, Ellen Varney, Lewis Maddux, Thomas Maddux, and William B Maddux, styled Maddux Bros Barlow Benrimo, Joseph Barton, and Daniel B Benrimo styled Benrimo, Barton & Co, James P Wolf and Jacob S Wolf styled Wolf & Bro, Justus A. Young and David P Milner, styled Young & Milner, George W Lackey Julius Feibel, Isaac Montelmer, John F Montgomery, James A. Lads, Daniel R Brant and John W. Reiley are defendants that summons has been issued in said cause made returnable to the March term of said Court to be holden at the Court house in Decatur in said county of Macon, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

Requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them and an order will be taken for hearing *ex parte* as to all [illegible] not answering E McCLELLAN, Clerk

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May 21, 1872—d-3m.

Sale Under Deed of Trust.

WHEREAS, John W. Hamilton, of Macon county, Illinois, "Bachelor," did make, execute and deliver to Samuel H Anderson, as Trustee, a certain Deed of Trust, bearing date the 11th day of March A. D. 1871, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book N 35, page No. 178, upon the premises therein and hereinafter described; which said Deed of Trust was given to secure the payment of one certain promissory note therein mentioned, for the sum of Twenty-one Hundred (2100) Dollars, bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, payable to the order of Samuel Anderson in one year after date thereof, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum.

And whereas, It is provided in said Deed of Trust that if default be made in the payment of any part of said note, it shall be lawful for the said Samuel H Anderson, or in case of the death, resignation, removal or other inability of the said Samuel H Anderson to act, then for John K. Warren as the successor in Trust, to sell the said premises hereinafter described at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, after giving notice of such sale for the term of thirty days in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, and upon such sale, said vendor at such sale shall receive the purchase money and execute the necessary deed or deeds of conveyance, and apply the proceeds as directed by said Deed of Trust

And whereas, The said Samuel H. Anderson has removed from the said county,

And whereas, The said promissory note is past due and remains unpaid, and the legal holder of said promissory note has made application to me as said Trustee, to sell the said premises under and by virtue of said Deed of Trust

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given to all persons that by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Deed of Trust as such successor in Trust, and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on

Thursday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1873,

At [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the west entrance to the Court [illegible]

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JOHN K. WARREN, Trustee

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Administratrix Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Hiram Hullinger, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment

CATHARINE HULLINGER, Administratrix.
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Administrator's Notice.

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Dissolution Notice.

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THE partnership heretofore existing be- tween the undersigned, under the name of Webb & Baird, Macon, Ill., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the firm remain with L. F. Webb who will be authorized to collect all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to it.

L. F. WEBB.
W. H. BAIRD.

Macon, Ill., January 1, 1873.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Webb & Baird will please call and settle with the undersigned immediately, and thereby save costs. L. F. WEBB.

January 3, 1873—d1w.

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January 8, 1 3-d1m] Decatur, Ill.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, Feb. 1.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be deliver- ed to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our sub- scribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce E. B. EICHOLTZ as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE STARR as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. D. ALLYN as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN P. JONES as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. F. MUZZY as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

WE are authorized to announce ANDREW SHOEMAKER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce M. K. HATCH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer, at the March elec- tion.

WE are authorized to announce ALFRED WUENSCH as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM GARLER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

WE are authorized to announce T. J. ABLE as a candidate for Alderman of the Third Ward, at the coming city election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. J. SMITH as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce E. MCNABB as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the March elec- tion.

WE are authorized to announce DR. W. H. MITCHELL as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. A. ADDERLEY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Attend church to-morrow.

...Have you a horse and sleigh?

...More of the "beautiful snow."

...Plenty of farmers in the city to-day.

...City Council meeting Monday night.

..."A kingdom for a coal shaft."

...The firemen are to give another ball soon.

...Remember the entertainment at the Opera House to night.

...Winter's back-bone has been re-set and we may expect another cold snap.

...Prof. Henri and family at the Opera House to-night.

...J. R. Greene, in his celebrated origi- nal mocking bird song at the Opera House to-night.

...Miss Maggie Knapp Miss Carrie E. Martin, Simcoe Lee and A. C. Weaver, at the Opera House to night.

..."Chimney Corner" and "Rough Diamond," at the Opera House to-night.

...Social at the High School to-night.

..."Eli Perkins" registered at the St. Nicholas.

...Go sleighing while the snow lasts.

...Dramatic Alliance at the Opera House to-night.

...Spelling schools, surprise parties and weddings, are all the rage in the country.

...We desire to call the attention of the City Council to the fact that gas posts are needed on North Water street.

...Lytle & Roberts will start up their coffin factory in a few days.

...The young gentleman who visited this office to negotiate for the sale of a sarcastic poem of which he had written only the first line, which he brought along as a sam- ple, and which read:

"Waggle not thyself so proudly, thou bus- tle-bulging belle,"

is respectfully informed that the poem will be accepted if all the bright promise of its inception is fulfilled.

...It is currently reported and believed that there is not a good set of finger nails left in the buckwheat county of this state.

...The prospects for fruit in Illinois for the coming season do not seem to be the best in the world. Some of the horticul- turists of the state have given as their opin- ion that the apple and peach buds have been killed; others think that the apples are not injured, but that the peaches are dead. However, we will wait for develop- ments.

...The regular weekly contribution of "Mercutio" is delayed to-day, but will appear in Monday's paper. The subject of whom he treats this time is James Shoaff, Esq., ex-mayor, ex-editor, extremely clever fellow, and prospective inhabitant of the city of Paris.

...Many of the farmers are taking ad- vantage of the excellent condition of the roads for sledding, and are bringing their produce to the market in sleds. Corn, oats and dressed hogs form the chief arti- cles of importation.

...Mr. George Stare is to-day announced as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward. Mr. Stare is one of our oldest citi- zens, and is a man of good business ability and unquestioned integrity. He would make a first class Alderman.

...Are we to have but two candidates for Mayor? There are generally more than two citizens who are confident of their fit- ness for the place.

COAL SHAFT.

"With crests on our harness and breechin,
In a carriage and four we shall roll,
With a splendid French cook in the kitchen,
If we only succeed in finding coal,
Coal!
If we are only sure to find coal.

If we marry, we'll marry a beauty,
If single, we'll try and control
Our tastes within limits of duty,
And make ourselves jolly with coal,
Coal!
And make ourselves jolly with coal.

They may talk about mines of Golconda
Or the shafts of Puebla del Sol;
But to fill a man's pockets, I wonder
If there's anything equal to coal,
Coal!
If there's anything equal to coal.

At Naples we'll live on Chiaja,
With our schooner-yacht close to the Mole,
And make daily pickings on Baia,
If we only come down upon coal,
Coal!
If we only come down upon coal.

"Eli Perkins."—The first lecture in the Library course last night drew out a fair audience. The lecturer, Melville D. Landon, better known as "Eli Perkins," of the New York *Commercial Adver- tiser*, was introduced by Mr. L. Burrows, and with a few humorous remarks of a personal character, proceeded to dilate up- on his subject, which was a "Defense of the Heathen." Mr. Landon has certainly a fine sense of the ridiculous, and in his lecture last night hit off some off some of the popular shams and follies in such a manner as to show that he is a close ob- server of current affairs. No class of civ- ilized heathen escaped his sarcastic allu- sions, and many of his descriptions were characterized by a vein of very fine humor, but, like all other lecturers of this class, the speaker gave his hearers but little to think of or reflect about. It is a good thing to laugh, but a whole evening's en- tertainment with nothing but fun becomes a trifle monotonous. As a change, how- ever, the lecture was something to relish.

Ran Away.—Edward Ryan, who has been working at the rolling mill for some time past, decamped on the night of the 15th of January, taking his clothes out of the window, and leaving Mrs. James Fow- ler, with whom he had been boarding for a long while, to mourn over an unliquida- ted board bill of $38. About the same time Mrs. Fowler had stolen from her a large amount of bed clothing, a bolt of muslin, a lot of canned fruit and other ar- ticles valued in all at about $50. It is ex- tremely unfortunate for the reputation of Edward that the theft should have been committed just at the time he "jumped" his board bill.

Police Doings Yesterday.—Fred. Jenkins was fined $3 and costs for an as- sault, by Justice Albert.

...Before Justice Baker, Lewis Wetzel paid the city $3 and costs, for an assault.

Michael Shanolin for the same offence was fined the same amount.

Michael Shermin and Thomas Gibbons each placed $3 and costs in Justice Baker's hands for the benefit of the city.

The Announcement of Mr. E. B. Eicholtz as a candidate for alderman from the first ward will be found in another col- umn. Mr. Eicholtz is an excellent citizen, and would no doubt make an efficient alderman. We are happy to announce his name, and hope that he will receive the support of the first warders.

Logrenia.—This renowned conjurer opens a season of six nights at Macon Hall, on Monday evening next, Feb. 3d. We clip the following from the Cleveland *Leader*:

LOGRENIA.—To train birds and mice to the degree that Logrenia has succeeded in doing, must have tried the patience of Job himself if he had undertaken to do it. They seem to be endowed with almost human in- telligence, and the numerous beautiful lit- tle tricks they perform could only have been taught them with great labor and the utmost attention. They are a source of delight to the young, and of wonder and admiration to the old. Unless they are seen no one would believe it possible that these little creatures could be brought to do so perfectly the bidding of their teacher.— The opportunity of seeing them will last only this week, so it will be well to take advantage of it. Logrenia is one of the best magicians in this country, and has no equal now before the public. His exhibi- tion is amusing and interesting. The pres- ents that are distributed are useful and val- uable.

Livingstone—Stanley.—For years the civilized world has been watching with the most intense interest the progress of the intrepid Livingstone in his herculean efforts to solve the mystery of the age— the source of the Nile. The desire of all Christendom to see this wonderful river opened up to commerce, and the vast re- gions of equatorial Africa blessed with the light of civilization, has given to Liv- ingstone and his discoveries an interest not often displayed upon any ordinary subject. The results of his labors, togeth- er with the strange story of the successful search made for him by Mr. Henry M. Stanley, of the New York *Herald*, have been embodied in a volume of six hundred pages, appropriately embellished with en- gravings, for which Mr. William Athen, of this city, has the agency for the south half of Macon county. As the book is sold only by subscription, and as it is in- tensely interesting in all respects, our cit- izens should not delay, but give their or- ders to Mr. Athen at once. The book will be ready for delivery in two or three weeks.

Mr Athen is also agent for a magnificent polyglott Bible, published in both English and German. The Bible is a magnificently bound and printed book, and deserves a large sale.

Let it be known to all that the best meat in the market can be found at C. Young & Co.'s meat market, on North Main street. Mr. Young purchases none but the best meat, and he therefor has a splendid run of custom. His stock com- prises beef, pork, veal, sausage, etc. Call on him and you will be satisfied.

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DECATUR, Jan 30-w2 d2d

Look Here.—Those desiring good boots or shoes should call at Geo. F. Wes- sels' and see his large and well-selected stock. He sells low for cash; and his pri- ces are very low. Call on him before pur- chasing elsewhere.

The St. Nicholas.—Of course you know that the St. Nicholas is always ahead. The Laux Bros. know how to keep a first- class hotel. Their house is always full.— When you want a square meal or a good bed, go to the St. Nicholas. The Laux Bros. run two 'busses to and from the depot.

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Oyster Stews;
Oyster Fries;
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Ham and Eggs;
Hot Tea and Coffee, at
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It is a Fact.—It is a fact that while Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and Special Flavorings, Lemon, Vanilla, etc., have been made for seven years without reducing their standard of perfect purity, not another Baking Powder or Flavoring Extract in the market is free from adulter- ation. There are no coloring, poisonous oils, or acids in Dr. Price's Flavors, nor chalk, alum, or other injurious substances in his Cream Baking Powder. We know the manufacturers take pride in having their articles strictly pure.

Hard Sweet Cider,
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DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, Jan. 29, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1,00@1,30
" White "	1,10@1,30
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5,00
" red "	4,50
" superfine, "	3,50
" middlings,	2,50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	,60
RYE—₩ bushel	,10
CORN—₩ bushel	,20
" shelled, per bush	,21
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton,	8,00@10,00
OATS—₩ bushel,	15@20
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1,35
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	2,00
CLOVER SEED—	6,00@7,00
BEANS—₩ bushel	2,50
BUTTER—₩ ℔	,20
EGGS—per doz,	,25
LARD—₩ ℔	,06½
BACON—Sides,	,10
HAMS—sugar-cured,	,17
SHOULDERS—per ℔	,07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,25
CATTLE— " "	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	,60
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	6½
APPLES—	4@5
Green ₩ bus	,15@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@31
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	50@60
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" " and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ₩ ℔	6½@,07
" Salted cured,	0@,9½
" Calf,	,10@11
" Dry salt,	,12½
" Dry Flint,	,18
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	30@75
[Cut, grubby, scarred or other- wise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ ℔	,50@,60
" Common, ₩ ℔	,25@,40

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Decatur, January 22, 1873—dtf

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The *Bazar* commends itself to every mem- ber of the household—to the children by droll and pretty pictures, to the young la- dies by its fashion-plates in endless variety, to the provident matron by its patterns for the children's clothes, to *paterfamilias* by its tasteful designs for embroidered slippers and luxurious dressing gowns. But the reading- matter of the *Bazar* is uniformly of great excellence. The paper has acquired a wide popularity for the fireside enjoyment it af- fords.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

Subscriptions—1873.

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January 2, 1873-dawtf.

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January 10, 1872—daw-tf

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Court, December Term, 1872.

Petition to sell Real Estate to pay Debts.

Reuben Betzer, Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth E. Dresbach, deceased, vs. Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Mat- tie E. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, An- drew J. Dresbach, Susanna Roberts.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS hereby given that in pursuance of the decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 25th day of De- cember, A. D. 1872 the undersigned, Admin- istrator of the estate of Elizabeth E. Dres- bach, Dec'd, will sell on the premises, at public vendue, on

Saturday, the 1st day of Febru- ary, A. D., 1873,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, to the highest and best bidder therefor, the following de- scribed real estate, situate in the city of De- catur, county of Macon, and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. 15, and three feet off of the south side of lot No. 16, in block No. 7, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to the city of Decatur.

The terms of said sale will be, one-third of the purchase money cash in hand, the balance to be paid in one year from sale, the purchaser giving note at six per cent. inter- est, with approved personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the same.

Decatur, January 1, A. D. 1873.
jan1-1w] REUBEN BETZER, Adm'r.

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Coroner........................ M. Y. Givler

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" 3d " A. T. Hill, W H Bramble
" 4th " B B Richards, Wm. Gabler
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FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. N. P. Heath, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

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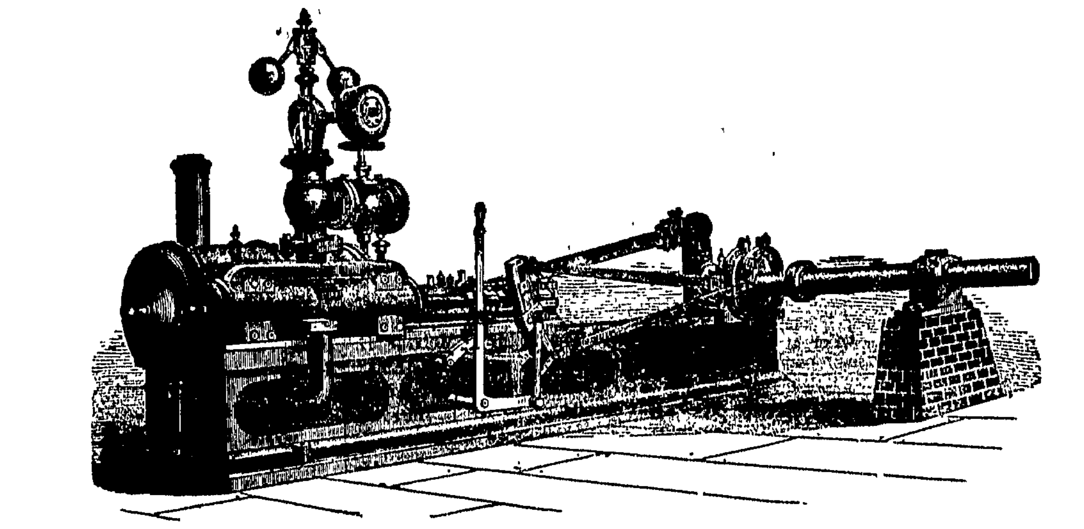

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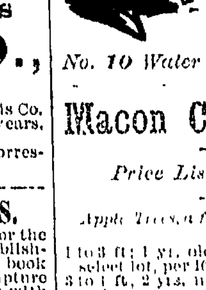

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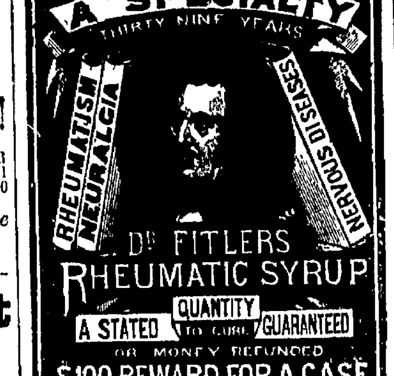

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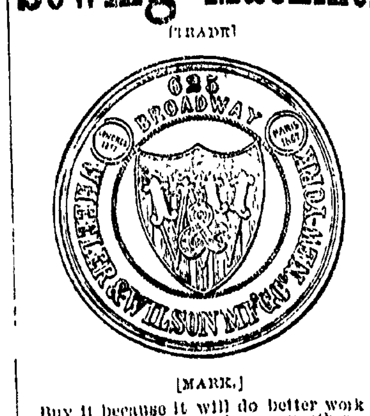

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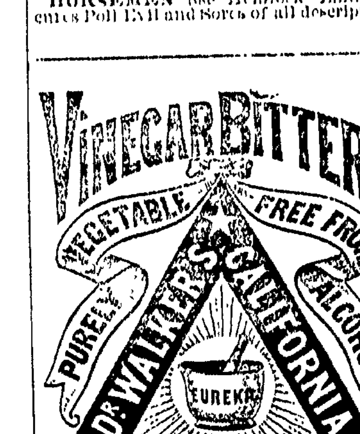

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